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May 24, 2012

**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Ms. Jocelyn Boyd  
Chief Clerk and Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
Synergy Business Park, The Saluda Building  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Madison River Communications, LLC  
Docket No. 2000-240-C  
Cancellation of Certificate

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On behalf of Madison River Communications, LLC ("MRC"), I am writing to request cancellation of MRC's certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide facilities-based and resold local and intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in South Carolina. MRC was originally granted this authority by the Commission on September 7, 2000 in Docket No. 2000-240-C. MRC certifies it has no customers in South Carolina and no longer intends to provide intrastate telecommunications services in the State. Accordingly, MRC respectfully requests that its certificate be cancelled effective immediately.

Should you have any questions concerning this request, please contact myself at (919) 554-7621 or Zel Gilbert at (803) 252-4505.

Very truly yours,

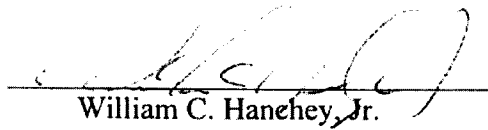
  
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cc: Zel Gilbert  
Scott Elliott

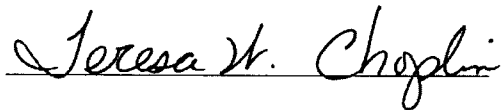
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SWORN STATEMENT

William C. Hanchey, being duly sworn, says that he is the Vice President for Regulatory & Government Affairs for the Eastern Region of CenturyLink's serving territories, and that the foregoing statements are true, accurate, and complete to the best of his knowledge.

  
William C. Hanchey, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2012



Commission Expiration Date: 12-28-2014

WILLIAM C. HANCHEY, JR.  
VICE PRESIDENT  
REGULATORY & GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS  
EASTERN REGION  
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